

Wedded 50 Years, Not A Death In Family For Half A Century

COFFEYSVILLE, Miss., July 14. (Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Craig, of Coffeyville, Miss., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary here today. They have six children, three boys and three girls, all married and all living, and 11 grandchildren, all living. This is regarded as very unusual, that a man and woman should live together 50 years, raising all of their children and to see them married and settled in homes of their own and then have children, and not a death occur in the family for 50 years.

TRI-STATE BRIEFS

HUNTSVILLE, Ala.—The New Hope consolidated school district is building a new high school to cost \$40,000. It is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for the opening early in the fall.

BLUE MOUNTAIN, Miss.—After lingering between life and death since Saturday, Jim McWilliams, negro, died at his home in the upper end of the county yesterday from the effects of wounds said to have been self-inflicted by a gun accidentally discharged by him.

BLUE MOUNTAIN, Miss.—Thompson will have no circuit court this summer. The term having been pretermitted at the request of citizens of the county. Judge Charles Lee Crum, who has just resigned, granted the petition on the grounds that the farmers are very busy with their crops and that there is not much significant litigation to be taken care of at this term. Judge Crum has been succeeded by Judge J. W. F. Palmer, Jr., of Oxford, Miss.

DIERSBURG, Tenn.—M. E. Magee, Jno. L. Sinclair and Sam Ferguson, election commissioners for Dyer county, have called an election to be held Thursday, Aug. 5, for the town of Finley for the purpose of electing a mayor and six aldermen to serve for the ensuing two years.

ITABENA, Miss.—The municipal authorities have placed bumpers across the streets of Itabena to stop illegal speeding. Heavy fines will be imposed until this class of drivers are brought to realize the seriousness of their offense.

SCOOBA, Miss.—A Confederate Veteran reunion of this and several other counties is to be held in Louisville, Winston county. Extensive preparations are being made for it. It will also include the entertainment of the Spanish-American war veterans. It is to be held at Masonic park.

FREEZEYANT, Tenn.—Freezevant is expecting a big crowd in town Thursday of this week. On this date the big annual rally and barbecue will be held and the Business Men's club has about completed arrangements for the celebration. Hon. Finis Garrett and Capt. Gordon Browning will address the crowd.

The Dead

HUNTSVILLE, Ala.—Capt. A. J. Byrne, 81, one of the most prominent of the older residents of Madison county, died Sunday at his home at Mayaville. Capt. Byrne fought through the Civil war as a member of Company F of the famous Fourth Alabama Infantry, and for many years after the war he was a member of Egbert Jones camp, I. C. V. He is survived by two sons, L. Walter Byrne, of Huntsville, and William Byrne, of Mayaville, and one daughter, Mrs. Mattie B. Penney, of Boston.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala.—The body of Alvin D. Given, druggist, who died at West Point, Miss., was brought to Huntsville Monday afternoon and buried in Maple Hill cemetery. He is survived by his widow, who was formerly Miss Corrie Wingo of Huntsville.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala.—Thomas H. Trotman, a native of Huntsville, is dead in Dallas, Tex., according to news received here by relatives. His wife, who was Miss Henrietta Cooper, of Huntsville, died several years ago.

DIERSBURG, Tenn.—News of the death of Mrs. Nannie Seagraves, wife of A. Seagraves, who died at her home in this city, will be received with regret by a large number of friends. She was a member of the Baptist church. Surviving her are her husband and four daughters, Mrs. Frank Walker, Mrs. Albert Wofford and Misses Martha and Alma Seagraves. Funeral services were conducted by her pastor.

MRS. J. M. CRAIG, of Los Angeles, Calif., who says no one can feel more grateful for what Tanlac has done than she does. Declares she has gained twelve pounds and her health is now better than in years.



"Of all the people who have taken Tanlac, I don't believe there is anyone who feels any more grateful for it than I do," was the statement made recently by Mrs. J. M. Craig, of 6145 East Portland street, Wash. D. C. "Like so many other families during the influenza epidemic last year, we all had it, and our little ones together with the rest of the family, brought out a case of genuine nervous prostration. "I was so weak I couldn't even sweep the floor, and during the day I would have to lie down, and I had been in bed for weeks before I found out that I was all right. I could not sleep, and I was all the time nervous and nervous. "Every medicine I tried failed to reach my case until finally my husband urged me to try Tanlac. I am immensely thankful that he did, for it proved to be just what I needed. "The first two bottles didn't seem to help me. I knew that was because I was so extremely fatigued that it took the third bottle. I could tell it was improving and that gave me more hope than ever of getting well. "My improvement from then on was rapid and by the time I had taken five bottles of Tanlac I was better and stronger than I had been in years. I was sleeping soundly at night and had gained twelve pounds in weight. "That was several months ago and from then until now I have been in as good health as I ever was in my life and have been doing all the housework by myself. "It is simply remarkable how Tanlac has built me up and I have told everyone of my friends and relatives what a wonderful medicine it is. "Tanlac sold in Memphis by the following agents: Warnock Drug Company, Weiss Pharmacy, Doyle-Turley Drug Company, A. R. R. Pharmacy, 1801 Broadway, L. H. Kilpatrick, Washington-Purdy, Moore's Pharmacy, Taylor & Taylor, three stores, Washburn-Loye Drug Company, C. O. Manning and Battler's Pharmacy, adv.

the Rev. E. S. Atwood, with burial in Hurricane Hill cemetery.

SCOOBA, Miss.—Mrs. Mary Craig, one of the oldest residents of Louisville, Winston county, adjoining Kemper, died at her home at that place. The body was buried in Calvary cemetery. She leaves two sons and a daughter, J. F. Coleman, a Confederate veteran, also died in Louisville and was given a Masonic burial.

SCOOBA, Miss.—Har Tunnell, 32, a planter residing near Scooba, died Saturday. He leaves his parents and several brothers and sisters and many other relatives and friends. The body was taken to Porterville and buried in the cemetery there.

NEWBERN, Tenn.—Mrs. Gertrude Ramsey, wife of Dan Ramsey, merchant of Newbern, died at a hospital in Lynchburg Monday following an operation. Mrs. Ramsey was the daughter of the late Jake Hamilton. She had been chief operator for the Cumberland Telephone company at the Newbern office for a number of years. Funeral services were conducted at the family residence on Tuesday, the Rev. E. R. Ruff, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and the Cumberland Methodist church, officiating. Burial followed at the city cemetery. She is survived by her husband, whom she married only a few months ago.

COLDWATER, Miss.—Mrs. Mary Coleman, widow of the late J. J. Coleman, died at her home here Monday. Mrs. Coleman was a lifelong resident of this community, and had just passed her 83rd birthday. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. W. H. Harden, Mrs. Kenneth Ark, Mrs. A. Y. Gillespie and Miss Lillie Coleman, of Coldwater. Burial took place here Tuesday, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. A. S. Raper, pastor of the Methodist church.

PONTOTOC, Miss.—John Richey, of Sherman, died Saturday. Interment was made at Safford. The deceased had lived many years in Pontotoc county. He leaves a widow and eight children, several of whom are married and residing in other states.

GOLF BALL KILLS CADDIE AFTER 200-YARD FLIGHT

UTICA, July 14. (By International News Service.)—Joseph Casey, 12, was instantly killed on the links of the Yahundanda Golf club when he was struck by a golf ball driven from a point 200 yards away by Frank C. Shippy, of Utica. The boy was a caddie at the club.

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CRABTREE RESUMES SPEAKING ITINERARY

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 14. (Sp.)—Col. W. H. Crabtree will resume his speaking campaign as a candidate for governor at Athens and Lexington today.

He will spend the rest of the week until Saturday in East Tennessee when he will go to Jackson for speaking Saturday.

MARRIAGES

PONTOTOC, Miss.—The marriage of Miss Belle Jones and J. N. Everett took place Tuesday morning. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mrs. Lee Winders, of Ector, a sister of the bride. They left for Jackson, Miss., where Mr. Everett holds a position.

NEWBERN, Tenn.—Friends at Churchtown have received announcement of the wedding of Miss Velma Riggs to Luther Thompson, of Ayers, which is located in the river district of this county. The Rev. Mr. Marony, of South Point, officiating. The bride will reside at Ayers, where the bridegroom is engaged in farming.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, Miss.—Judge A. D. Slay, who is known far and near as the "marrying justice," married his 24th couple Sunday afternoon, after marrying three couples from Saturday night to Sunday afternoon. Saturday night the judge united John Bridges and Mrs. Amorilla Garnet. Sunday morning he performed the ceremony at the wedding of Lee Whittington and Miss Minnie Puckett, and Sunday afternoon he married Clarence Gardner and Miss Velma Puckett. The Misses Puckett, who married on Sunday, are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Puckett.

NORMAL AT PONTOTOC.

PONTOTOC, Miss., July 14. (Sp.)—The Teachers' normal opened at this place Tuesday under favorable conditions. The sessions were held at the auditorium of the public school and were conducted by Rev. Dan Kelly, of Hattiesburg. An appropriate selection of musical numbers were given with Miss Vera Lee Salmon as pianist. The normal will continue six weeks.

LOSES EYESIGHT.

NEWBERN, Tenn., July 14. (Sp.)—Elmer Williams, cotton buyer and farmer of this city, met with an accident while working on machinery here, when a piece of steel struck him in the eye, which caused him to be entirely blind.

Mr. Williams had lost one of his eyes before and is now totally blind.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS READY FOR CITY ELECTION

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, Miss., July 14. (Sp.)—The municipal executive committee met at the mayor's office Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock and prepared the municipal ticket showing the names of the candidates to be voted on for municipal offices at the election to be held on July 20. All nominations were closed and the ticket as prepared was as follows:

For mayor, F. M. Hutchinson and H. W. Mason; for marshal, G. H. Torrey and J. C. Tillman; for aldermen, E. P. Wood, C. E. Saunders, Lotches, J. M. Dampier, D. H. Miller and T. J. Hargraves; for executive committee, W. W. Ervin, W. E. Conroy, Roy Scott, P. T. Johnson and Judge A. D. Slay; for city clerk, W. A. Smith, and A. D. Slay were appointed managers of election and Judge Slay was appointed to have the ballots prepared. W. B. Lockwood, the present city clerk, having no opposition, was declared the nominee.

TO HOLD S. S. MEETING.

JACKSON, Tenn., July 14. (Sp.)—The Henry County Sunday School convention will be held at Whitlock on Sunday, August 1. The officers of the Henry County Sunday School association are:

President, Mr. J. L. Stewart of Paris; secretary, Mrs. Q. E. Rounton; of Rounton; the district presidents are: First, E. B. McGee, of Paris; second, A. P. Diggs, of Cottage Grove; third, J. Stewart, of Puyas; fourth, Guy Presnell, of Dulac; fifth, J. E. Smith, of Springville.

REVIVAL IN PONTOTOC.

PONTOTOC, Miss., July 14. (Sp.)—Rev. Dan Kelly, of Hattiesburg, noted evangelist, is conducting a meeting at the Methodist church at this place. Large congregations attend the two services held daily and great interest is being manifested. The choir is furnishing splendid music with Miss Vera Salmon as organist.

COLUMBUS BUILDING ASSOCIATION ELECTS

COLUMBUS, Miss., July 14. (Sp.)—An organization which has become to be a factor in the financial life of this community is the Columbus Building and Savings association. At the fifteenth annual election of officers held the following were named: Battle Bell, re-elected president; Irvine I. Kaufman, vice-president; M. C. Vandiver, secretary and treasurer; Parker Reeves, Brooks McGowan, Leopold Leeb, B. A. Lincoln and Henry Beard, directors. The report of the secretary and treasurer was read, showing the progress and strength of the institution, which was very gratifying to the stockholders.

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